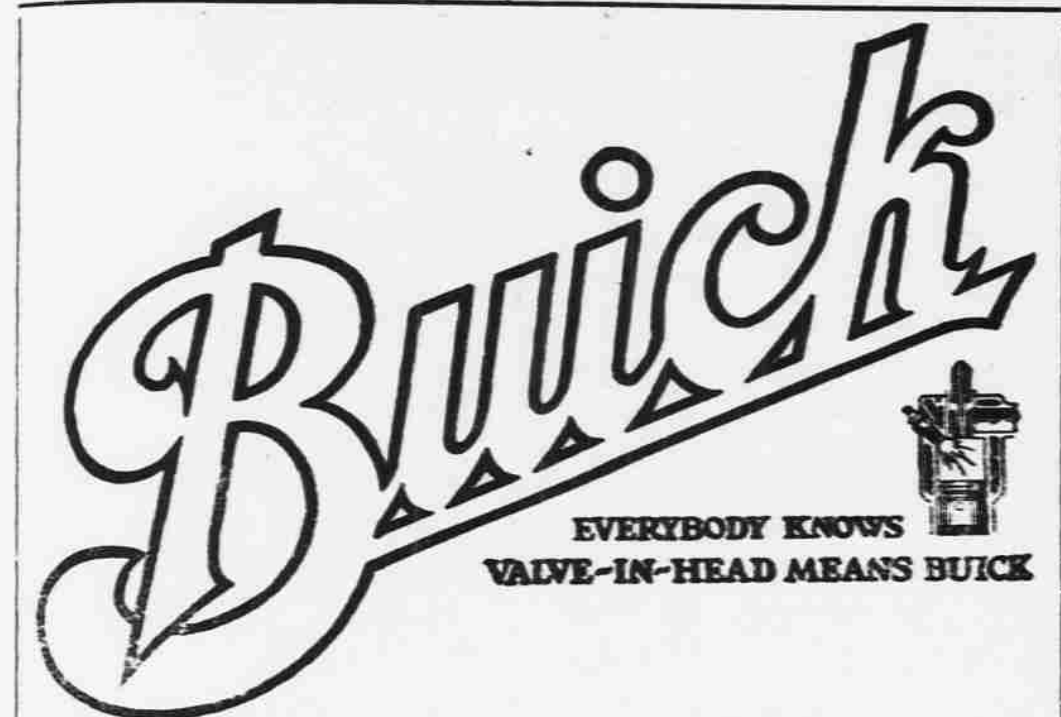


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"WHY DID YOU LEAVE THE FARM MY LAD?"

"Why did you leave the farm, my lad?
Why did you bolt and leave your dad?
Why did you beat it off to town
And turn your poor old father down?
Thinkers of platform, pulpit and press
Are wallowing in deep distress.
They seek to know the hidden cause
Why farmer boys desert their pa's.

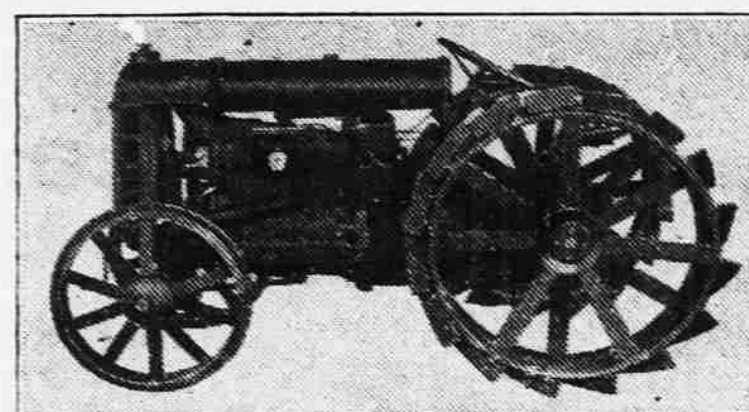
I'll roll aside the hazy bank;
"Well, stranger, since you've been so frank,
I left my dad, his farm, his plow,
Because my calf became his cow.
I left my dad, 'twas wrong of course,
Because my colt became his horse.
I left my dad to sow and reap
Because my lamb became his sheep.
I dropped the hoe and stuck the fork,
Because my pig became his pork.
The garden truck that I made grow
Was his to sell, but mine to hoe.

"It's not the smoke in the atmosphere,
Nor the taste for life that brought me here
Please tell the platform, pulpit, press
No fear of toil nor love of dress
Is driving off the farmer lads,
It's just the methods of their dads."

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MAY GET \$10,000 FROM GENL. EDUCATION FUND

Field Agent of Great Educational Philanthropy Was in Elizabeth City This Week

The colored State Normal School at Elizabeth City is in a fair way to get \$10,000 from the General Education Board, supplementing the \$30,000 for permanent improvements appropriated by the recent General Assembly.

in company with Mr. Sams and after satisfying himself as to certain imminent needs of the school Mr. Davis said he would recommend an appropriation of \$10,000 to the State Normal, by the General Education Board.

Mr. Davis says that the State Normal needs sewerage more than anything else right now and that it is nearly criminal for the state to enlarge the school without making arrangements for better sanitation. Since the last General Assembly would make no appropriation for sewerage and water, Mr. Davis thinks the General Education Board will consider doing what the General Assembly failed to do.

Mr. Davis manifested almost as much interest in the need of a practice or primary school in connection with the State Normal. The State Normal

is already taking care of a score or more primary grade pupils in its neighborhood who have no other school facilities. Mr. Davis stated that he believed the General Education Board would erect a building for such a school on the State Normal Grounds if the Pasquotank County Board of Education would co-operate to the extent of defraying half the expense of maintaining the school. The matter will be taken up with the County Board of Education at an early date.

MARKHAM—WHITE

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. White, of Edenton, N. C. announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter Estelle to Attorney Thomas J. Markham, of Elizabeth City. The marriage will take

place in the Baptist Church at Edenton on Wednesday, April 30. The bride and groom will be at home in Elizabeth City after May 15th.

Attorney General James S. Manning, of Raleigh is among the visitors to Elizabeth City this week, in connection with litigation in the Federal Court.

Mrs. Worth Gladden, of Dendron, Va., is the guest of Mrs. James G. Gregory this week. Mrs. James Nash will visit Mrs. Gladden upon her return to Dendron this week.

Miss Ada Pitt and Miss Clara Halpen, of Philadelphia are the guests of Mrs. J. W. Walston at Shiloh this week.

HAROLD IS A REGULAR LITTLE TOUGH KIDDO

Beat His Mother, Destroyed Personal Property and, Finally, Tried To Suicide

Harold Gibbs, 14 year old son of Mrs. Dell Gibbs of this city was sent to the Stonewall Training School by the Pasquotank authorities this week. Harold is one of those incorrigibles. A few years ago his father, Ned Gibbs, who farmed near Elizabeth City, came to town one morning before daylight. It was a strange hour for a farmer to come to town, but he came at that mysterious hour and mysteriously he was killed. Mrs. Gibbs has had a hard time raising the family of children he left her and the boy Harold had gotten beyond her control.

Harold was a regular bear-cat, whatever that is. He would hold his mother up for money and if she didn't come across he would beat her and break the furniture. He made extra heavy demands upon her last Friday and she couldn't gratify him. He went home in a rage and chopped up her trunk and other pieces of furniture and cut down the window curtains. Mrs. Gibbs turned him over to the police and he was placed in the county jail where there are no curtains to cut down. Saturday morning the boy got a companion to bring him a half ounce phial of iodine. This he drank and yelled blue murder, or something like. Two doctors came and pumped the stuff out of him, saving his life. The authorities then let the boy go home, thinking he would be quite sick. He wasn't too sick however to stay on the streets Saturday afternoon and pose as a hero before the town's superb aggregation of bad boys and future jailbirds. There was nothing to do with Harold but send him to a reformatory where he probably will get some of the kinks straightened out of him.

\$500,000 5% ROAD BONDS

By virtue of an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act Authorizing the Highway Commission of Pasquotank County to issue Bonds" (being House bill No. 563 and Senate Bill No. 387) ratified the 28th day of February 1919, the Highway Commission of said county will receive sealed bids at office of said Highway Commission until Monday, May 19th, inclusive. Bonds maturing 1934 and up. Both principal and interest payable in New York and interest payable semi-annually. These bonds will be offered with the certificate of a recognized bond attorney attesting their validity. A certified check for \$10,000 must accompany each bid. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids, and to offer said bonds for sale without further notice.

Address all communications to Chas. Carmine, Secretary, Elizabeth City, N. C. This the 15th day of April 1919.
W. J. WOODLEY, Chmn.
CHAS. CARMINE, Secy.

FOR SALE:—Eggs from extra fine White Leghorn Hens, \$1.50 for setting. W. B. PUMMILL, 507 Raleigh street, City.

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tery Mills, a newly organized company of Edenton business men who will establish a considerable hosiery mill in that town. The company is incorporated with an authorized capital of \$125,000, with \$30,000 already paid in. The directors of the company are: E. C. White, H. C. Privott, T. W. Elliott, M. G. Brown, H. G. Wood, Jno. C. Bond, J. H. Holmes, L. F. Ziegler and J. N. Pruden.



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April 17th, 18th and 19th

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